

## Message Text

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY TEHRAN

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E.O. 11652:N/A

TAGS: BEXP, IR

SUBJECT: RUMORED ROAD FOR OIL DEAL

THE FEBRUARY 18, 1977 ISSUE OF MID EAST ECONOMIC DIGEST  
STATES THAT AN UNIDENTIFIED US CONSTRUCTION FIRM HAS  
OFFERED TO BUILD MAJOR ROADS IN IRAN IN EXCHANGE FOR OIL.  
WOULD APPRECIATE EMBASSY COMMENT AND ANY INFORMATION  
AVAILABLE ON THIS SUBJECT.  
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\*\*\* Current Handling Restrictions \*\*\* n/a

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